



# MARINA VIEW SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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*kia ora, annyong hesayo, ni hao, namaste, talofa, ni sa bula, buenas días, goedendag, greetings*

Tena koutou e te whanau, he mihi nui ki a koutou katoa. Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Term 2 has flown by very quickly, it has been full of activity, challenge and fun.

Last Friday was an exciting day for our students, with the TV3 Sunrise team presenting the Weather section of their morning show from our MVTV studio. Sunrise Weather presenter Josh interviewed some of our children and samples of what happens at MVTV was shown throughout the morning show. Well done to all the children involved, you did yourselves, your families and the school proud in the way you confidently and articulately interacted with the Sunrise team and discussed what we do at our school. Thanks also to Mr Gover (teachers and parents who helped with the preparation) and the whole MVTV crew for all the work that went into preparing for the day. A wonderful, exciting and authentic learning experience was had by all involved.



Along similar lines yesterday we had 30 teachers from Australia visit our school to look at MVTV. They were impressed with the professionalism and confidence of our children.

I hope that you all enjoy the Parent Teacher Interviews this evening and that the interviews are a good platform to discuss the next learning steps for your children. Research tells us that strong partnerships between home and school have a significant impact on enhancing children's learning achievement. We are lucky to have such a strong partnership at Marina View School. If for some reason you were unable to make the interviews this week, please feel free to arrange another time with your child's teacher.



We would like to give everyone early notice that next term we will be holding a **Teacher Only Day on Tuesday the 5th of August** and that school will be closed for instruction on that day.

Next week school will finish at 2.15pm Friday 4 July. Have a Wonderful holiday and look forward to seeing all the children back after a restful break.

Regards  
Maurice Young



## OUR PTA NEWS

- Chocolate Fundraiser will start beginning of term 3
- Thank you for your support with the Entertainment Book fundraiser

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**COMING EVENTS**

- June 30** - Intermediate School and Team Cain to the Whenuapai Production.
  - July 3** - Year 7 Immunisations
  - Rugby Field Day
  - 4** - School finishes at 2.15pm
- Term 3 starts back on Monday 21 July.**

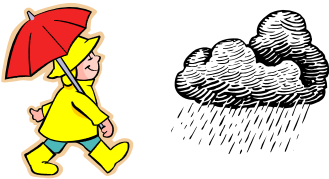
**SCHOOL REMINDERS**

Parents please ensure your children have a change of clothes in their school bags. Now Winter is here we are seeing a lot of children in the office with wet, muddy clothes.

**Our Gardener asks again....**

If you bring your dog through school grounds that you remove any dog dirt that your dog might deposit in our gardens.

Parents if your child suffers from asthma with the cold weather coming on please ensure they bring their medication to school.



**CONGRATULATIONS / THANK YOU'S**



To **Julie Ellis, Kiri Walters, Lee Maxlow and Alesh Sukha** for making it into the North Harbour Hockey Primary Rep teams. Good luck for a great season.

To **Mr Dean Ding** — father of Theresa who donated a box of pens for the staff—much appreciated.

To **Lynette Lynch** for her talented sewing of Worm soft toys.

To **McDonalds Westgate** for supplying Player of the Day Vouchers for our 14 netball teams.

**Fine Young Artists Term 3 at Marina View School**—Wednesdays 30 July – 17 Sept, 3.15 – 5.15pm in Room 1.

Programme: Shiney Happy People – Mixed Media between Perspex. Enrol now for this popular after school art class. Ph 631 5358, or visit [www.fineyoungartists.co.nz](http://www.fineyoungartists.co.nz)

**Craft Out West**—Café, Entertainment, Spot

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prizes, Art and fantastic range of Craft stalls. Adults \$5.00, Senior Citizens \$3.00, Children free. Proceeds are going towards the West Auckland Hospice.

**Creative Writing for Kids**—Term 3. Fun after-school Course for 8-12 yrs on poetry, story and descriptive writing. Contact Alicia on 416 4554 or 021 133 0442.

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**July Holiday Art Workshops** Monday 7 July and Thursday 10 July and Monday 14 July to Thursday 17 July. Plus **Term 3 Art Classes** for children: Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, 7-13 yrs 4.00pm. to 5.30pm. Saturdays 9+ at 9 .00am and 5+ at 11.00am. Begins 28 July. Children's Art School, Arts, Language and Literacies Dept. University of Auckland, Faculty of Education, Epsom.

**Fundraising Concert** Sunday 29 June at Massey Community Church at 6.30pm. Featuring 'Limit Break' cost \$20 = high school and up. \$10 = intermediates, \$5 = primary school. Info. At 833-8889 or 021-993-3511.

**YMCA Holiday Programme** for 5 to 15 yrs at Massey Leisure Centre. Activities include: visit Sky Tower, Gym, art and craft etc. enrol on Thursday 26 June 5.30pm. to 7.30pm.. Final WINZ registration 27 June. For more Info. Phone 833-8100 or [www.nzynca.com](http://www.nzynca.com). Term programmes available.

**July Holiday Performing Arts Fun** with the Performance.Net team at Greenhithe School—One day programme Tues 8th July 8.30am to 4.00pm A day of acting and excitement for more info please ph476 4045.

**Northwest Planters Garden Club** next Meeting Weds 25 June 7.30pm to 9.30pm Kumeu Community Centre. For further info contact Jenny on 411- 8894.

**Massey Joggers**—Running for fitness or running a marathon. Come and run with a friendly group on Weds evenings and Sunday mornings. Contact Shena on 412 8076 or Kerry on 838 6665.



MVTV Show demonstrated to Australian Teachers by our Mvtv Crew

